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April 7, 2006

Hon. Betty Sephton, Clerk Mississippi Supreme Court 450 High Street Jackson, MS 39201

No. 05-60157 Paz v. Brush Eng Materials 05-60388 Paz v. Brush Eng Materials USDC No. 1:04-CV-598 1:04-CV-597

Dear Ms Sephton:

The Fifth Circuit has determined to certify a question of law to the Supreme Court of Mississippi in connection with the referenced appeal.

I am enclosing herewith two folders containing the following documents:

- (1) Opinion of this Court directing certification;
- (2) The formal certification to the Supreme Court of Mississippi;
- (3) Briefs of the parties;
- (4) The five volume record on appeal;

Also enclosed are nine additional copies of the Court's certification opinion for distribution to all of the Mississippi Supreme Court Justices.

Since the case has proceeded in this Court on the original typewritten record, we would appreciate the return of this certified record to this Court, when the case has been decided by your Court.

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Please acknowledge receipt on the enclosed copy of this letter.

Sincerely,

CHARLES R. FULBRUGE III, Clerk

By: Joseph Armato, Deputy Clerk

## Enclosures

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